

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop

DATE: 11-18-68

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: RAYMOND K. PRICE, JR.
SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT-ELECT NIXON

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Over the past weekend, President-elect Nixon named captioned individual, former chief editorial writer for the defunct "New York Herald Tribune," as a Special Assistant to the President when Nixon takes office on January 20, 1969.

INFORMATION IN BUREAU FILES:

According to the "New Haven Register" in its issue of October 25, 1945, Raymond K. Price, Jr., was identified as the Yale University Campus Conservative Party leader, who participated in a question and answer period with two Bureau officials, the Special Agent in Charge of New Haven and former Assistant to the Director, Louis B. Nichols. (62-90082)

In March, 1959, Raymond Price of the Editorial Section of the "New York Herald Tribune" was scheduled to have lunch at the Yale Club on March 10, 1959, with the Soviet Attache and Protocol Officer of the Soviet Mission at the United Nations. [REDACTED]

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In July, 1964, according to Alice Widener, who is well-known to the Bureau, Raymond Price, editor of the editorial page of the "Herald Tribune," was a friend of some of the editorial writers at that newspaper who were anti-J. Edgar Hoover and anti-FBI. There was no indication that Price himself shared those sentiments. (94-8-69-1814)

The fingerprint files of the Identification Division of the FBI contain no arrest data identifiable with Raymond K. Price, Jr.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Gale

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